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finances," said Governor Sigler

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The Governor said he was con-cerned over the impression, still revealent in the minds of many

c tizens, that the sales tax amend-n ent diverted one cent of the 3-

to hi sales tax back to local govern-

from the state treasury.

A variety of solutions have been

advanced by members of the legis

lature.
Senator Haskell L. Nichols of

Jackson proposes a referendum in April on whether a state constitu-tional convention should be called.

N chols feels that the present con-stitution has been amended to the point where a brand new charter should be adopted. The need for

such revision has been recognized at Lansing for many years, but state officials have been reluctant

wrisk such a convention at a time

when the voters' temper was sub-ject to drastic fluctuation.

Economic stress in Michigan, coupled with other reasons, con-tributed to a change in the gover-

norship every two years from 1930 to 1942. Prior to the adop-tion of the civil service amend-ment, this brought a biennial turn-

precontative Elton R. Eaton of

three mills of the 15-mill rry tax for the bonus. It d produce around \$22,000,000

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## Coach Munn To Be On Football

### The prospect of a multi-million leflicit in the state treasury, due to version of 76 percent of the 3-ent sales lax back to home gov-nments—littluding the public chools, still is the A-1 top problem of the Sigler administration. Pellston Five Here Friday "A major part of my day, from edrly morning to late at night, is being devoted to this matter of

#### Defeat Harbor; Cancel Charlevoix Contest

finances," said Governor Sigler. "I am now working on the budget message to the legislature. We're soing to meet the issue frankly. The people must realize the seriousness of the financial situation Grayling will face a big, fast improving Pellston five at the Grayling gym Friday night. The Tuesday night contest, with the Wave invading the lair of the Charlevoix Raiders was cancelled, due to the weather and road conditions. The game will be made up on February 4.

The invading Pellston team, while losing to Grayling in their last meeting by a 25 to 17 score, have shown vast improvement, rents. The loss of 33 percent of the state's major source of revenue is one shing; the loss of 76 percent is something eight. Simple, arithmetic will reveal that the difference is 43 percent which on an analysis of the state o losing close contests to Boyne City, Mancelona and Gaylord, and trip-ping up East Jordan. The Roscom-mon Bucks will meet Grayling on the local floor a week from Friday.

mual collection of \$100,000,000
would involve a cool \$43,000,000
diadditional revenue diverted Rolling up 16 points at the foul line and showing the best shooting form so far this year, from the field, the Grayling Green Wave dropped a hard-fighting Harbor Springs quintet at that city last Friday night by a 36 to 30 count.

The game was almost decided at the foul line, with Grayling scoring 16 points to Harbor Spring's 12 via the free throw route. The locals also dropped-in 10 field goals to the northern boys' 9. Dick Miller was ejected from the game with 5 personal fouls, while Phil Ke-way, Ed Carlson and Chuck Feldhauser tight-roped through the game with a count of 4 each on them. Harbor Springs lost several men on fouls.

Carlson led the locals with 12 points, while Feldhauser accounted for 8, with Keway and Goss adding 6 each. Miller wound up

acting 6 each. Miller wound up Grayling's scoring with a field goal and 2 foul shots. Hobey led the Harbor five with 9 points.

The Grayling Wavelets again dropped a close one with Harbor seconds emerging winners on the long end of the 18 to 14 score. Ow-(Continued on Page 6)

### Plan Cage Tourney Here,

m. int, this brought a biennial turnover of department heads and thousands of employees. The cominuscioner of agriculture, for example, was an appointee of the greenor; he barely got acquaintee with the office staff and became accustomed to where he was to hang his hat before a new appointee was announced.

"Its fluctuation at Lansing did no make for intelligent and orthe state constitution. Perhaps the 1947 financial crisis at Lansing man overcome the usual object."

Harbor five with 9 point The Grayling Wavelet and the grayling Wavelet an Invitations were mailed the first Invitations were mailed the first of this week by the Grayling Legion and Spike's Keggers basketball squads to neighboring communities, announcing an Invitational Backetball Tournament to take place here on February 19, 20 and 21.

Ply nouth has introduced a resolu-tion proposing that the sales tax into proposing that the sales tax into be re-submitted to the voters at the conjung April election. Eaton was named chairman of the House tax. Hon committee, and he is ful-ly chyinged that many citizens was unaware of the consequences of the sales has amendment when the voted in favor of it last No-vention. . Tournament officials said that the play would be classed into two parts: Classes C and D. Trophies will be presented to each of the tax. ton committee; and he is fully chylinged that many citizens will be presented to each of the winners and consolation prizes to the runners an

#### County Committee Plans Lincoln Day Banquet

The Crawford County Republi-can Committee tentatively selected February 12 as the date for a Lin-coln Day banquet, at a meeting held at the Court House last Fri-

day evening.
Sheriff William Golnick was appointed by Chairman Ray Clement to secure a place and meal for the banquet, while Emil Giegling was to acquire an out-of-town speaker. Committee Secretary Earl Burns will be in charge of the ticket sale.

### Plan Dinner And Gat Hunt-

The Grayling Sportsmen's Club at its monthly meeting last Wed-nesday night, laid final plans for its annual "cat" hunt to take place on February 15.

The hunt is expected to again The hunt is expected to again draw a large crowd of hunters from all over the state, and experienced "cat" dogs and handlers will be on hand to aid in the chase for the residents of the swamps.

A banquet will be given Saturday evening by the club for the out-of-town hunters and club members. The main course of the affair will be antelone, donated to

affair will be antelope, donated to the local sportsmen's group by Freddy Bromwell, local guide, who bagged the animal in a western hunting trip last fall. The antel-ope has been in cold storage since and the feast is being looked for

Whether a wildcat hunt will be staged on Sunday, the following day, will depend on the number of hunters who wish to partake of another day's tramping following the Saturday hunt, club officials

(Continued on Page 2)

## P. T. A. Program Well Attended

Friday night some 125 people turned out for the P. T. A. dance and program. Shortly after 8:00 o'clock, Richard Lovely and his Committee, composed of Oscar Goss, Ernest Larson, Van Smith, Eugene Lawler and Earl Gierke, had the games going full swing. Fine prizes were donated by the following: Barringer Men's Store, Dawson's Store, Sales' 5c to \$1.00 Store, Crawford Avalanche, Earl R. Burns' Store, Burrows' Market, R. Burns' Store, Burrows' Market Olson Shoe Store, Mrs. George Granger, Mrs. Ervin Wales, Gray-Granger, Mrs. Ervin Wales, Grayling Mercantile Co., Betty Mae
Shop, John's Cash and Carry Grocery, Lietz Cleaners, Tiny's Beauty Farlor, B-C-D Store, Ron's
Hardware, Charles Long Market,
Kraus 5c and 10c Store, Marie's
Shop, Hanson Hardware Co., A. &
P. Company, and Emil Niederer.

Launch Chairmen Mrs. C. Rich-

### Planted Trout Make Up Nearly Half Of The Catch

#### Sunday Tests Made On Thron Streams

nator Harold D. Tripp of Al-would whittle down the sective delicit by returning to the state the liquor license fee re-tates which are now give nto the titles and villages for enforcement diquor laws. Sunday sampling checks of trout fishing on the Riffe, AuSable and Fox rivers last season showed 34 to 43 percent of the trout caught were hatchery fish.

deficit would put the state-sup The Conservation Department's Institute of Fisheries Research re-vealed these figures after careful ted colleges in one school dist and thereby make them eligifor state school aid; would dip the \$50,000,000 veterans trust at to help finance the \$270,000, collecting and compilation of all records for the three "test" Hatchery fish planted three streams in 1946 streams. Hatchery fish planted in these three streams in 1946 were all fin-clipped to distinguish them from wild fish. In 1947, the hatchery fish-planted in all bonus. All these the weakness in that they onalleviate the problem—they do is likely that the financial streams will be fin-clipped.

blem will come to a head soon that legislative leaders, to-The Rifle River drainage re-ceived 21,850 legal size clipped trout; 34 percent of the catch were r with the Governor and state cials, may arrive at some conhatchery fish; 28 percent of the hatchery lish; 28 percent of the Sunday anglers interviewed caught trout; 11 percent of them caught some hatchery fish. The Fox River system in the Upper Feninsula was stocked with tith the financial problem at top of the list, Governor Sigler been disturbed by recent de-

14.895 marked brook trout; 52 percent of the fishermen interviewed caught trout, 32 percent of them refer to the so-called "Gov-'s Mansion", a high-falluting for what would be an official had one or more marked trout; 36 percent of the trout caught were from hatcheries.

for what would be an official ite House" in Ferris Park for Governor, his family, and a of servants, including the ernor's bodyguard, who is as from these plantings made up 43 percent of the total catch checked; Police.

54 percent of the anglers interviewed-caught trout; 29 percent of the total catch checked; percent of the surgers interviewed-caught trout; 29 percent of the surgers interviewed-caught trout; 29 percent of the caught trout; 20 percent of the caught trout; 2 e "mansion" idea is not Sig.

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Id provide suitable housing idea of fish cought, either wild or for frederic announce the engagement of their daughter, Helma dom sampling the total NUMBER Jane, to Mr. Charles L. Post, son Governor, his family, and a latchery reared, is not known, nor frederic. No date has been set for feath worlding.

done be judged from the census The census gives only the PRO-PORTION of wild to hatchery fish taken by those fishermen interviewed of Sundays Research men point out that the percentage figures may not be entirely relia-ble because the creek census covered only one day a week, and it was impossible to centact all fish-ermen on that day, especially on the AuSable. They cite higher and lower figures produced by other creel census methods.

On the AuSable a voluntary

census was maintained by guides cabin owners and other sportsmen An example of their reports is Franklin Hills' record of 18,771 trout caught in 4,564 fishing days —79 percent of the anglers getting trout, 45 percent getting hatchery fish and 28 percent of the catch made up of marked hatchery fish Urge Reports

Posters along the streams urging reports by mail produced 296 let-ters, but since 275 were from suc-cessful fishermen, this is not con-sidered a fair cross-section. Some did not write, it seems, because they caught no fish, or had no hatchery trout to report. The lethatchery trout to report. The let-ters indicated hatchery fish in the total trout catch at 45 percent on the Rifle, 43 percent on the Fox and 45 percent on the Ausable. In 1947 anglers on all trout wa

ters can keep a hatchery and wild score for themselves; all legal size trout planted will be finclipped.

Editor's Note—State Representative Emil A. Pelts will again this year send a weekly news-letter to the Avalanche in order that the people of his district (the Presque Isle District) may be informed of what is going on in Lansing. Look for it each week in the Aval-The House and Senate Taxation Committee and the Senate Finance Committee met with the Governor this week for a three-hour confer-ence on the State financial prob-Governor Sigler and the legisla-

covernor sigler and the legisla-tors were told that if the provisions of the Sales Tax Amendment are carried out the State will face a deficit during 1947-48 amounting to \$100,000,000. Estimated revenues for the com-

Weekly

News-Letter

From the Desk of Repre-

sentative Emil A. Peliz.

Editor's Note-State Repre-

ing year total \$227,000,000, but on ly \$145,000,000 can be considered as general purpose revenues and appropriated as such by the legis-lature. The remaining \$132,000,lature. The remaining \$132,000, 000 is already ear-marked for specific purposes and can not be touched by the Legislature. In ad-dition to that, part of the school appropriation must come out of the \$145,000,000 balanco:—Against this 19140,000,000-balanco: Against this the State has budget requests amounting to over \$200,000,000. The problem therefore boils down to this: How to make \$145,000,000 tess the school appropriation, amount to \$200,000,000.

The House and Senate Commit-ce members expressed themselves as being pretty much in accord that there are only three alterna-tives confronting the State if it is to offset the loss of needed reven ues resulting from the tax diver-sion amendment. These are: (1) Return to local units of gov

ont such corvices no sch aid, welfare relief, aid to the aged and aid to dependent children. (2) Repeal of the Tax Diversion

The cost of the four major ser-(Continued on Page Two)

# Poised and Ready for Winter Carnival



Bob Brooks

Grayling Queen Nancy-Cox is poised and ready on her skis in a beautiful wintertime scene at the Grayling Winter Recreation Area for the Michigan Snow Queen contest and the three-day snow and ice Mardi Gras this week-end. Queen Nancy will compete against many other Winter Queens from all over Michigan for the title of Michigan Snow Queen, as one of the features of the Grayling Winter Sports Carnival. The winning girl will be crowned at the Queen's Ball Saturday night by Clarence 'Biggie' Munn, Michigan State's new football coach, and on Sunday afternoon at the Winter Recreation Area by R. C. McLaughlin, Michigan Touris the Winter Recreation Area by R. C. McLaughlin, Michigan Tourist Council Executive Secretary.

# DR. KEYPORT RE-APPOINTED TO STATE MEDICAL COMMITTEE

Dr. C. R. Keyport, M.D., of Gray-ling, has been re-appointed by Wil-liam A. Hyland, M.D., president of the Michigan State Medical Society, to membership on the Public Relations Committee. This committee answers the problem of in-forming the public on factors af-fecting the health of the people.

the Detroi cause of the public spiritedness of three or four men. First, Alfred Hanson made it financially possible with a sizeable donation. Ernie Borchers and William "Sailor Bill" Huddleston, the two famous AuSable River guides and fishermen, agreed to tie trout flies in the booth and hand out folders and answer questions concerning Gray-ling and Crawford County.

Robert Brooks, who is handling the Grayling Chamber of Com-merce's publicity for the Winter Carnival, will help establish the booth at the show, and efforts are being made to equip it with a screen in order that the movie made at the Gravling Winter Recreation Area may be shown

#### Boyne Glove Tournament Plans Are Completed

Plans are complete for the first annual All Northern Michigan Golden Gloves Tournament, to be held in Boyne City, January 28, 29

Petoskey, Grayling, East Jordan, as well as individual fighters from Harbor Springs, Charlevoix, Gay-lord and Bellaire. Sault Sto. Marie may also send a tcam.

# Aides Select Queen For 3 Day Reign

### Coming Week-end Is Grayling's Winter Sports High Spot

Starting tomorrow, the Grayling Winter Sports Carnival will begin its three-day run. After an extended January thaw, weather conditions appear to be bright for all types of winter sports and for carnival events. A Queen's Banquet will begin the festivities tomorrow night. All the visiting Queens, along with Grayling Queen Nancy Cox, will be guests at a dinner. along with Head Football Coach Clarence ("Biggie") Munn of Michigan State College, who will crown some lucky girl as "Miss Michigan Snow Queen" at the Annual Queen's Ball at the Grayling High School Gym, Saturday night. Assistant Football Coaches Forrest Evasheski, former U. of M. luminary and All-Big Ten football star, and Levern Taylor and Hugh Doherty, who also came from Syracuse University with Coach Munn, will act as Judges in the Queen contest.

'Miss Michigan Snow Queen" will again be crowned at the Grayling Winter Recreation Area on the huge Ice Throne, Sunday afternoon, by the Michigan Tourist Council Executive Secretary, R. C. McLaughlin. An hour-long fancy skating exhibition and show will round

out the day-long winter sports festivities at the State's big winter sports

playground west of the city.

Besides the honor of being "Miss Michigan Snow Queen", and re-sulting publicity and big silver loving cup, the girl selected will

standing effort ever put forth by that committee for the winter sports carnival. A nine-piece or-chestra under the direction of Jimmy Dobson will be on hand to give out with danceable music, while the grant decorations made and the gym decorations made and erected by Miss Thelma Hubbell, are perfect for the setting of the big event of the three-day festival. At 11 o'clock the suspense will be over and the girl selected as "Miss Michigan Snow Queen" will be revealed in a novel way, and Coach Munn will place the jeweled crown upon her head.

on her head.

The remainder of the competing vear's carnival.

seens, from all over Michigan, Dr. Keyport told the crowd of... queens, from all over Michigan, will act as a court for her at the dance and at the park the next dance and at the park the next day. Queens for the contest have been entered by Grayling, Detroit, Bay City, Saginaw, Roscommon, Houghton Heights, and Cheborgan. There are possibilities of others from Flint, Lansing and Jackson. The Ice Skating Show to follow the Curve agree that the next day.

Grayling will have a booth at the Queen's coronation at the park between 45 minutes to an hour cd her with a large silver loving and will be staged by professional cupskaters from Ann Arbor, Flint, Detroit, Saginaw and Windsor, On
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tario. The show will be gaily costumed and many of the state's and Canada's outstanding figure skaters will perform on the ice rink before the huge ice throne on which Miss Michigan Snow Queen will preside.

also be awarded a scholarship to a Detroit finishing school. The scholarship, valued at \$175, will naw area. This train has already Two snow trains are scheduled scholarship, valued at \$175, will naw area. This train has already entitle the lucky Queen to a professional modeling course which will entail studies on makeup, diction, carriage, how to pose for the camera, and many, many other kindred types of professional modeling. camera, and many, many other kindred types of professional modeling.

Ball Big Affair

The Queen's Ball and decorations promise to be the most outstanding effort ever put forth by snow trains are transported from the railroad station to the big ice and snow playground.

An advance sale of tickets for the Queen's Ball is now in prog-ress, with Mac's Drug Store, Daw-

ress, with Mac's Drug Store, Daw-son's, Shoppenagons Inn and Duke's Hotel handling the ducats. Grayling Queen Nancy Cox was crowned last Sunday afternoon at the Park on the big ice throne by Dr. C. R. Keyport, a pioneer work-er for winter sports in the North-land. He was introduced by Art. Clough, general chairman of this

early efforts to establish winter sports in Michigan, and of Grayling's proneering task of selling the ing s proneering task of seiling the plausibility of such an effort to the rest of Michigan. He said that the efforts of the early workers had been justified by the enviable position of Grayling today as the Winter Sports Capital of Michigan. After placing the crown on the head of Queen Nancy, he present-

Change Effected This Week

### Walter Truettner Is Named As New President Of Bank

nte by the executives and directors National Bank of Detroit at a meeting held last week.

"He is," they said, "a small-town banker who built and maintained

high-position in Detroit's big banks because at heart he was always a constantly small-town banker. striving to bring about a greater realization of the interdependence

velop the Michigan bank division of the old First National Bank, which he did so successfully that

Walter F. Truettner, the new was organized in 1933, he was appresident of the Grayling State pointed to the same position, which he has held for the last fourteen years ....

He was elected president of the Michigan Bankers Association, the highest office within the power of the state bankers to bestow, in 1937, having previously served as first vice-president in 1936 and second vice-president in 1935. Govised to contact the Crawford Avalanche or John Selesky for intestants have until January 23 to testants have until January 23 to the principal platforms of Government of the principal platforms of Government of the principal platforms to win greater recognition and greater recognition and greater in 1899, after attending school in that city and attending owned and operated one of the best some fighters are under the impression that they must be members of a city team. Individuals month pass when he was not transported banks of the principal platforms of Government of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occupant of the started his banking career in 1899, after attending occu ing further back and much further

the board of supervisors of Gos bic County for six years, three these as chairman of the board.

when the National Bank of Detroit (Continued on Page Six)

### WANT ADS

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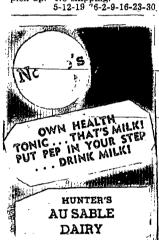
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FOR SALE-Singer Sewing Machine; 9x12 Rug. Mrs. Harold Cliff, Lake Margrethe.

FOR SALE—One New Ideal Hay Loader, steel bottom. 2 V-8 Tires and Wheels. Leo Isen-hauer. Phone 4191. 16-23

WANTED, TO BUY—Furniture that needs repairing, or will re-pair and return at small cost. Phone 4137. 16-23

FOR SALE—New Loom at 308 Mikado. Call evenings.

WANTED TO BUY-In Crawford or nearby county, household appliances, hardware or wholesale distributing business. Also in-terested in piece of lake or stream property. Must be pric-ed right. Contact J. L. Stinson, Box 471, Drayton Plains, Mich. 16-23-30-6

FOR SALE-Genuine horsehide leather coat with sheepskin lin-ing and collar. Can be seen at Avalanche Office. Price \$25. 16-23

FOR SALE—A good Car Radio, with 3 aerials, complete. Also a Model D Minnesota Drophead Sewing Machine. Mrs. Harry Horton, Frederic, Mich. 16-23

FOR SALE—1937 Packard, 8-cylinder, 4-door; custom built; 6 good tires, two new; radio, heater, defroster; glass and body in excellent condition; very good paint job; spare tires in fender wells. For information call 57 Resembers or see any time. Roscommon, or see any time Roscommon Laundry.

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FOR SALE—Dodge 1942 2½-Ton Truck, stake body, all-steel box. Motor completely overhauled—4 new tires, 3 like new. Must be seen to be appreciated. C. To-mer, Apt. No. 3, over Grayling Restaurant. 23

FOR SALE—Lumber, Cabin Slabs and Stove Wood, 5 miles North of Luzerne, at Buck Horn Inn. 23-30-6

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. T. A. MEETING—South Side School, Wed. evening, Jan. 29.

#### LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the Atta session of said-Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling, in said County, on the 20th day of January, 1947.

Present, Honorable Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alvin N. LaChappelle, Deceased. County of Crawford

Alvin N. LaChappelle, Deceased.
It appearing to the Court that
the time for presentation of the
claims against said estate should
be limited and that a time and
place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and
demands against said deceased by

demands against said deceased by and before said Court; It is Ordered, That all of the heirs at law and creditors of said deceased are required to present

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their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 20th day of March, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjust-ment of all claims and demands against said-deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That pub lic notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County. Ray F. Clement,

Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy) Ray F. Clement.

Judge of Probate. 23-30-6-13

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the
County of Crawford

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Present, Honorable Ray F Clement, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Alvin N. LaChappelle, Deceased.
William LaChappelle, Administrator of the Estate of Alvin N.

LaChappelle, Deceased, having filed in said Court his netition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, Lots 1 and 2 of Block 25, Roffee's Addition to the City of Grayling, Michigan, ac-cording to the recorded Plat there-

of, and also Lot 19, Block 4 of Oak
Hill Park, Grayling Township,
Crawford County, Michigan.
It is Ordered, That the 20th day
of February, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock
in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed fice, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all the heirs at law, and all persons interested in said estate appear be-fore said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

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#### P. T. A. Party

(Continued from Page 1) ardson and Mrs. H. Smith, with their Committee of Mrs. J. Len-nert, Mrs. W. Kumpula, Mrs. E. Wales, Mrs. L. Trudeau and Mrs. S. Randolph, had lunch aplenty waiting for the hungry folks.

The hand-worked phow slips donated by Mrs. Van Smith, went to Mrs. Anna Hanson.

The Rhythm King Trio furnished music for both round and square dances. Middie LaMotte called the square dances

called the square dances. Everyone seemed to enjoy the music and other parts of the pro-

Cash donations from Dad Han-son, Otto Peterson, Earl Mathew-son, Wesley Kumpula, "The Gang" and Mrs. S. Randolph swelled the fotal net proceeds for the evening to \$143.68. Food contributions by Mrs. C. Richardson, Mrs. H. Smith, Hunter's Dairy and John Selesky also added to the lunch.

A short time ago, the Grayling State Bank, Mr. John Bruun and Mr. Wilhelm Raae donated \$100.00,

\$25.00 and \$10.00 respectively.

Donations and money earned to date total \$482.82. Four instruments have been purchased and are in use. Six more have been ordered, and if received will complete the needed list of instru-ments for this year.

This Saturday and Sunday will

ni in what promises to be a headliner game. This game is for the benefit of the P. T. A. Band Fund.

#### GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Girl Scouts of Troop II are very grateful to Mr. M. LaMotte for attending their Scout meetings the past two weeks. He is teaching them to square dance. The girls are progressing nicely, as Mr. LaMotte is very capable in this

#### VANISHES ON HER HONEYMOON

What happened to a pretty new-lywed, last seen by her husband while on a honeymoon hunting o? Her disappearance prompt one of the West's greates ed one of the West's greatest searches. Read about this baffling real life mystery in "Lost Ladles. Where Are They Now?", begining in The American Weekly with this Sunday's (January 26) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times,

### Grayling Bowling League

Qates Photo Hanson's Chevrolet 29 Green's Tavern 26 Ron's Hardware 26 Wade's Cabin Court .. 25 Jarmin's Insurance 24
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Grayling Restaurant 12 33 16
Tony Nelson's single game of 244
was the week's best effort, while
Roy Milnes' series of 578 edged Doc Martzowka's 577 by one as the highest three-game series of

Al Cherven still holds first place At Cherven still noist first place in the average list with 179, followed by Roy Milnes with, 174. Harold Jarmin and Sam Rasmussen are tied for third place with 171. Dave Cook is in fourth with 169, while Al Carriveau holds 5th with 166 and Charlie Papenfus is 6th with 165. Herman Bertl, Carl 6th with 165. Herman Bertl, Carl Nass, Doc Martzowka and Larry Galehouse are tied for 7th with 164 each. Johnay Johnson is in 8th place with 163, followed by Bill Sterling with 162. Tony Nelson and E. Smith divide 10th spot with 160 each with 160 each.

#### WOMEN'S DIVISION Porath's \_\_\_\_\_ Dorett's Soremson's 28 Hanson's

Margrethe Nielsen's 186 single and 194 series were the high indi-vidual efforts of the week, while Clara Sorenson's single game of 199 was still the best for the scason, as was Erma Burtch's 3-game cries of 522.

Erma still held first position in the average list with \$144, while Fern Akers and Ann Carriveau are tied for second with 137. Clara Sorenson is in third place with 136, followed by Margrethe Nielser with 135.

#### Lansing News-Letter

(Continued from front page.) vices—direct school aid, direct welfare relief, old age assistance weitare rener, old age assistance and aid to dependent children, taken over by the State since the adoption of the sales tax, cost the State \$17,000,000 in 1934. This figure has increased to \$71,672,000 during the year ending June 30,

find the Band students out with 1946.

Band Booster Tags. Everyone should wear a tag on these days. On February 18, the High Sales Tax Diversion Amendment. School Varsity will meet the Alum-Few people realize how much money is really involved in the



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cials do not yet realize just how much money is going to be "dumped" into their treasury and that they will be faced by the problem of finding ways of spending it, while the legislature is confronted with the work difficult task of with the more difficult task of

I give you here the figures for the six counties in my district based on the 1940 census and assuming that the Sales Tax revenue will amount to the estimated \$150,000,000 for the next year:

Presque Isle County \$58,260

Otsego County 27,713 Montmorency County 18,263 Crawford County \_\_\_\_ 17,908
Roscommon County \_\_\_ 17,445
Oscoda County \_\_\_\_ 12,094
This distribution is figured on a

per capita amount of \$4.75. So, if you want to know how much your township or city will receive, merely multiply the 1940 population of such township or city by 4.75 and you have the amount as provided by Proposal No. II. If you will then compare that amount with the proposal value of the compare that amount with the proposal value provided by the compare that amount with the proposal value provided by the compare that amount with the compare that with the amount you now raise for local operating costs, you will know why the State is in financial

Remember too, that another 4-6 of the Sales Tax goes to the schools plus an appropriation from the general fund amounting to 40 to 45% of the previous year's total Sales Tax.

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# Basketball And Officials...

For some time the public, not only in Grayling, but elsewhere, have noted a degeneration in some types of basketball played and also in the officiating.

The officiating at most of the home games of the Grayling High School has been lacking in some way or another. This thought is voiced on every hand, where

The finesse of ball handling, passing and basket shooting seems with many teams to have changed too a pile-driving, ground-gaining type of offense that one associates with the fall sport of football.

Naturally everyone likes to see his favorite team win, and the jeers and boos against the defenseless referees reach their height from the bleachers when that team is behind. However, when one observes his own team committing fouls that are never called, along with Saginaw. many by the opposing team, we feel that you have a right to ask where basketball is headed.

Will it necessitate the serious injury or death of a really-to-goodness beauty parlor has been opened here. Ruth Mc-player before the authorities make the game revert to Connell, formerly Miss Ruth Barthe style and type of play that was intended? Or will low, is the proprietor and is a graduate practitioner, receiving the greatest wintertime sport in America degenerate her diploma from an institute in into another sport where brawn and muscle will spell Chicago. victory or defeat?

Basketball always was a game where the small George Bissonette on January 19. man, if he was fast on his feet and possessed good timing and a good eye, could compete on even terms with his larger team-mates or opponents. If the system of body checking, screening to the point of body blocking, is allowed to continue, some young high school boy will pay with his life or health to satisfy a craving for vic-

In our mind, the athletic program was not introduced into schools for the purpose of how many wins could be rolled up, but to develop the bodies and minds and

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good sportsmanship of the participants. With the type about the "mansion", he expressed himself with considerable feeting of play now being displayed by some teams, it will not himself with considerable feeling. be long before every high school coach who wants to keep his job will be forced into the same tactics. Would you want your boy coached to win ball games, regardless of how-just to win?

of how—just to win?
You don't, and I don't. It is time for the Michigan
things before me," he said, weari-High School Athletic Association to inspect the actions of its approved officials. Is it necessary for two or tive staff had left for the day. three boys to be on the floor before a held ball is called? Is it necessary for a coach to be forced to ask a referee to check a player to see if he is all right after being knocked to the floor? Officials are paid to do a job, exactly as professional fighters. It is our opinion that they are not doing their job to the best of their ability.

### Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

(JANUARY 24, 1924)

Bay City and taken his old stand as barber at the Cowell barber shop.

Miss Minnie Lovely and Isaac have returned from Lansing where they were employed for several months.

"Stanley Matson is the new clerk at the A. M. Lewis drug store, takng the place of Reuben Bebb, the latter having taken a position in

Many of Grayling's fair sex are delighted over the fact that a

operating a soft drink parlor and lunch room in the Benson build-ing for several months, purchased the building which comprises the soft drink parlor and the Cowell barber shop, yesterday from John

Last Thursday night if any radio fans were "listenin' in", they heard under civil service and the wife of a concert from Chicago in which the Governor should be relieved of Ange Lorenzo of West Branch, the chores of presiding over the well known in Grayling, sang three songs of his own composition.

Jan. 24 - 25

Late News

Late News

Jan. 28-29-30

Novelty

January 26 - 27

and Monday greatly interfered unlikely that more than \$150,000 with railroad traffic—at the north- (even at today's highly inflated ern end of the Michigan Central Costs) would be needed.

Mackinaw division, The train due When we asked Governor Sigler

here from the north at 12:55 Mon-

day night did not get here until the following noon. The tie-up of the branches last year did not occur until in February, at which time the M. C. R. R. paid out about \$100.000 in trying to keep these ranches open for traffic.

Bargains at Sorenson Brothers Sofa, overstuffed in tapestry, \$49.90; Hall Mirror, \$2.19; Cedar Chest, \$14.50; Electric Washer,

### Wichigan Wirror

(Continued from Front Page) others who were needed to maintain the building.

The State Board of Auditors in

1946 engaged Alden Dow, famous Midland architect. Designs were submitted to the board shortly after January 1, thereby focusing public attention on the whole mat

The Governor is a public figure of major importance; his job does not end daily at 5 p. m.; the office imposes upon him unusual responsibilities and duties.

Ralph E. Routier, who served in the Marines during the World War, and a prominent Detroit attorney, has been selected by Maj. Chas. S. Mott, Michigan civilian aide to Secretary of War John W. Weeks, as chairman in charge of the Military Training Camps Association in Wayne County.

Holger Hanson, who be operating a soft a large major importance; his job does not end daily at 5 p. m.; the office imposes upon him unusual responsibilities and duties. The proposed official "White imposes upon him unusual responsibilities and duties. The proposed official "White imposes upon him unusual responsibilities and duties. The proposed official of the office imposes upon him unusual responsibilities and duties. The proposed official "White imposes upon him unusual responsibilities and duties. The proposed official "White imposes upon him unusual responsibilities and duties. The proposed official "White imposes upon him unusual responsibilities and duties.

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ficial functions.

We recall hearing Mrs. Harry F. We recail nearing Mrs. Hally a Kelly tell about the 32-person staff which the State of New York pro-vides at the residence of Governor Thomas E. Dewey—who, incident-ally, was re-elected in November by a smashing majority. Mrs. Kelly felt that such a staff should be

brooms and pans. ongs of his own composition.

Heavy snow storms of Sunday is fairly modest. It is extremely



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County of Crawford
At a session of said Court, held
the Probate office, in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 6th day of January, A.D. 1947.
Present, Honorable Ray W. Cle-

ment, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Alvin Richter, Deceased.
Dorothy M. Stillwagon having filed in said Court her petition

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It is Ordered, That the 4th day of March, A.D. 1947 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition; It is Further Ordered, That Public notice thereof he give lic notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Aval-anche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate. Phone 23-M A true copy.
Ray F. Clement,

Judge of Probate. STATE OF MICHIGAN

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Judge of Probate.

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN' DESCRIBED:

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ings for possession of the land.

Description of Land

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County of Crawford

Northwest quarter (NW1/4) of the Northeast quarter (NE1/4), Sec. 35, Town 27 N, Range 1 W. Amount paid \$5.94, Tax for year

Amount necessary to redeem \$13.91 plus the fees of the Sheriff Augustus Funck and
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Place of business, Grayling,

Michigan. To K. A. Bistany, Buffalo, New

by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. Roard, duly called on the 6th day at the date of the delivery of this notice to the Sheriff for service. Register of January, 1947, the following members:

16-23-30-6 MICHIGAN STATE OIL AND

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80 acres in T 3 N, R 13 W, Allegan County.

1,080 acres in Ts 19 and 20 N, R 3 E, Arenac County.

1,320 acres in T 25 N, R 4 W, Crawford County.

1,180 acres in T 19 N, R 12 W, Lake County.

280 acres in T 19 N, R 12 W, Lake County.

280 acres in T 14 N, R 9 W; 580 acres in T 15 N, B 8 W, Mccosta County.

860 acres in T 12 N, R 11 12 N, R 15, 16, 17 W, Muskegon County.

40 acres in T 12 N, R 11 12 N, Rs 15, 16, 17 W, Muskegon County. 40 acres in T 12 N, R 11 W; 440 acres in T 15 N, R 12 W, Newaygo County. 2,470 acres. in T 13 N, Rs 15 and 6 W; 3,940 acres in T 14 N, Rs 15, 16, 17, 18 W; 2,300 acres in T 15 N, Rs 16, 17, 18 W; 3,060 acres in T 16 N, Rs 15, 16, 17 W, Oceana County. 5,480 acres in T 21 N, Rs 1, 2, 3 W; 640 acres in T 22 N, R 2 W, Roscommon County.

Specific descriptions and further

particulars upon request.

Department of Conservation P. J. Hoffmaster, Director.

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### SUPERVISORS'

PROCEEDINGS JANUARY SESSION, 1947

Meeting of the Board of Super-visors for the County of Crawford neld at the Court House in the City of Grayling on Monday, the 6th day of January, A.D. 1947.

on day of January, A.D. 1947.

Meeting was called to order by
the Chairman, Sydney A. Dyer.

Roll was called by Townships
and City of which the following

Supervisors responded: Beaver Creek Township Frank Millikin, Supervisor Frederic Township— Ray Murphy, Supervisor Grayling Township— Leo Isenhauer, Supervisor

ovells Township-Austin J. Scott, Supervisor (absent)

Maple Forest Township-Mapic Forest Township—
Arechie Howse, Supervisor
South Branch Township—
Sydney A. Dyer, Supervisor
City of Grayling —
George Burke, Supervisor

City of Grayling Edwin Carlson, Supervisor Moved by Millikin, supported by Carlson, that the bonds of the county officers be placed in the hands of the Ways and Means Committee for approving

Ways and Means acted on Bonds.

James Post, Treasurer, \$15,000.00;
Leo E. Lovely, County Clerk,
\$2,000.00; Fred Niederer, Register
of Deeds, \$3,000.00; William F.
Golnick, Sheriff, \$10,000.00; Chester Lozon, County Road Commissioner, \$2,000.00.

Report of Ways and Means Com-

mittee:
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Gentlemen, this committee to whom the bonds for the County Officers were referred have exam ined said bonds and find the amount of each bond to be correct and recommend their approval.

Archie Howse, Leo Isenhauer, George Burke,

Comm. on Ways and Means Moved by Carlson, supported by Millikin, that the report on Bonds be accepted, approved and adopted. Roll call: Burke, Howse Carlson, Millikin, Murphy, Isenhauer, Dyer, all Yeas; no Nays Motion carried.

During meeting of Supervisors several persons called upon the Board, and made complaints about the roads and plowing of roads.

Clarence Johnson, John Selesky and Mrs. Stealy appeared before the board in regard to Veteran af-fairs. They wish to continue the office of Veterans Affairs for an-other year and that appropriation be made for it

Motion carried.

n Communications, report:
To the Honorable Board of

ation and recommend the follow-

ing: That a copy of the following resolutions be sent Emil Peltz, State Representative; Charles

Prescott, State Senator; to the Honorable Governor Kim Sigler; Midland County, Board of Super-

visors; Newaygo County Board of Supervisors; Huron County Board

of Supervisors. And all other communications be placed on file. Archie Howse,

Committee on Ways and Means. Moved by Carlson and supported

cil of Veteran Affairs in the sum of \$350.00 to continue the counsel-

—All Yeas; motion caerried.

The County Board of Road Commissioners met with the Supervis-

Motion carried.

Leo Isenhauer,

George Burke,

De made for it.

Moved by Murphy, supported by
Carlson, to place communications
in the hands of the Ways and
Means Committee. All members
voting Yea, motion carried.

Moved by Millikin and support-

ed by Murphy, that we adjourn until Tuesday, Jan. 7, at 9 a. m Motion carried.

Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman. Leo E. Lovely, Clerk.

#### JANUARY SESSION, 1947

Tuesday, January 7
Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford continued and held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 7th day of January, 1947. Meeting was called to order by

Roll was called, all answering present but Scott, Millikin here

for afternoon. Minutes of the meeting held on the 6th day of January were read and approved. Pearl Nolan, Welfare Director, appeared before the Board and

gave the annual report of Welfare Motion made by Burke and supported by Howse, that the salary of Social Welfare Director be placed at \$125.00 a month. Roll call—

Howse, Murphy, Isenhauer, Carlson, Dyer, all Yeas; motion carried.
Earl Burns appeared before the Board representing the Winter Sports and asked for an appropriation of \$50.00 for advertising.
Resolution offered by Howse

who moves its adoption, and sup-York, last grantee in the regular ported by Burke.
chain of title of such lands, or of
At a regular meeting of the Suany interest therein, as appearing pervisors of Crawford County,

Frank Millikin Archie Howse Edwin Carlson Ray Murphy Sydney A. Dyer Leo Isenhaue

George Burke constituting a quorum, being present, the following Preamble and

Resolutions were adopted: WHEREAS, There may now be in and may hereafter from time to time come into the hands of James Post, Treasurer of Crawford County, Michigan, certain public moneys belonging to er held for the State, County, other political units of the State or otherwise held ac-

cording to law, and,
WHEREAS, Under the laws o Michigan, this Board is required to provide Resolution for the deposit of all public moneys, includ-ing tax moneys coming into the hands of said Treasurer, in one or more banks, hereinafter called Bank (s) to be designated in such

Resolution; NOW, THEREFORE BE IT: RESOLVED, That said Treasur Jomes Post is hereby directed to deposit all public moneys, including tax moneys coming into his hands as Treasurer in his name

as Treasurer, in the following Bank (s):

NAME OF BANK— Grayling State Savings Bank.
(SEAL) 1 Leo E. Lovely, Clerk of Board of Supervisors of Crawford County, Michigan, having compared the foregoing Preamble and Resolution with the original thereof as re-corded in the Minute Book of said Board and do hereby certify that the same is a correct and true transcript thereof Resolutions which were adopted by said Board at a meeting thereof held on the date specified above. Given under my hand and seal of Circuit Court in the City of Grayling in the County of Craw-ford this 6th day of Jan-

uary, 1947. Claimant Character 1. City of Grayling 2. Tri-County Telephone Co. 3. City of Grayling ...... 4. City of Grayling ..... 5. Tri-County Telephone Co. Au Sable Insurance Agency Clarence B. Johnson H. G. Jarmin Fred Niederer Burrows Food Market Grayling Laundry
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Fred R. Welsh The Riegle Press -- --

Leo M. Lovely. Roll call-Howse, Burke, Mur-Isenhauer, Dyer, Carlson.

Mays and Means Committee out ed. Roll called—Howse, Burke, Murphy, Carlson, Isenhauer, Mil-To-the Honorable Board of Flikin Byer-all Yeas; motion car-Supervisors;
Gentlemen:
Your Committee on Ways and Means and to whom the several communications were referred, nave had the same under consider-

> necessary expenses and travel. All Yeas: motion carried.

by Isenhauer that the report of the Ways and Means Committee be accepted, approved and adopted. lion carried Moved by Millikin and supported by Isenhauer, that the Crawford Moved by Burke and supported by Ischhauer that an additional appropriation be granted to Coun-County Veterans Trust Fund Comnittee be authorized to use the Jury room on Thursday of each week, providing it does not con-flict with sessions of the Circuit Court. Roll called—All Yea; moing service for another year and to move and make a permanent

tion carried.

The bills of the several Supervisors were allowed at this time.
Archie Howsb \$21.90
Frank Millikin 17.40 eo-Isenhauer

ler In Plain Sight



(senhauer, Dyer—Yeas; Howse and

Murphy—Nays.

Moved by Millikin and supported by Murphy, that we purehase typewriter desk for Probate Judge at \$7.50. Boll call—All Yeas; mo-

tion carried. Committee on Claims and Acounts asks for further time. Moved by Burke and supported

by Howse, that we adjourn until Wednesday, Jan. 8, at 9 a. m. Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman Leo E. Lovely,

Clerk.

JANUARY SESSION, 1947

Wednesday, January 8

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford continued and held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the City of Grayling of Grayling on the City of Grayling of Grayling of Grayling on the City of Grayling of G

the 8th day of January, 1947.

Meeting was called to order by

the Chairman, Sydney A. Dyer.
Roll called; all members answerng present.
...Minutes of the meeting held on

the 7th day of January were read and approved. Moved by Howse and supported

by Millikin, that all State Hospitalization be paid out of the General Fund. Roll call—All Yeas; motion carried.

Report from Claims and Accounts

and of the whole of said.

Committee original Preamble and To the Honorable, the said

Board of Supervisors: Your Committee on Claims and Accounts would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that several amounts scheduled herein be allowed, also that the Clerk of the Board be authorized to draw Orders on the County Treasurer

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Edwin Carlson, Committee on Claims and

Moved by Howse, supported by Burke, that the report of the Claims and Accounts Committee be accepted, approved and adopt-

Moved by Murphy, supported by Millikin, that Edwin Carlson, George Burke and Robert Neafic, Prosecuting Attorney, be appointed as a committee to go to Alpena and get all possible information relative to leasing Federal Airports and that they be compensated for

Moved by Carlson and supported by Isenhauer, that any member of the Board of Supervisors may at-tend the Annual Meeting of the State Association of Supervisors, and the Clerk and Treasurer are hereby authorized to pay neces-sary per diem and expenses on presentation of bills, and the sum of \$5.00 be appropriated for annual County dues in the Association. Roll Called—All Yeas; mo-

record of the plaque now located on Court House grounds. Roll call

missioners met with the Supervisors and a general discussion of road matters followed.

Moved by Burke and supported by Howse that the Claims and Accounts be placed in the hands of the Claims and Accounts Committee. All Yeas; motion carried. Sydney A. Dyer George Burke Edwin Carlson by Howse that the Claims and Accounts be placed in the hands of the Claims and Accounts Committee. All Yeas; motion carried.

Moved by Burke and supported by Carlson that we appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to advertise Winter Sports. Roll call—Burke, Carlson, Clerk.

CHAPTER VII Comes in all decked out for the night life. Soup and fish. Gave me once-over and had a few quick straight ones without more than glance at me sitting there with my tongue hanging out. When the but ler stuck his snoot in the door, he spat out, 'Tell my mother I'm going out this evening.' Not his wife, mind you—his mother.'

"Mama's big boy."
"Oh, sure. He and his wife don" get along, I take it?"

"Your surmise is a good one, think." "Well, while he was having his snort, the wife comes in. I'd been wondering who'd been playing chopsticks all night until she stood there in the doorway, looking daggers at and he walks by her without siglance. She put her hand out, but he brushed her off."

"She's kind of helpless where he

is concerned, I guess." 'Helpless! About as helpless as the Bethlehem Steel corporation. You got her docketed all wrong. She's pure chromium plate. She just watched him go, gave me a big icy stare and helped herself to a half glass of liquor. Then King, the

major-domo, calls her to the phone and she goes out."

"She had a phone call?"
"Yep. After which she banged heck out of the piano for another helf hour."

"She went out, you say?" "Yes, she did. She wasn't gone long. About an hour. When she came home, she messed around the ivories until hubby rolled in, about

twelve o'clock. Then the place quieted down for the night." "Stephen came home late?" "Yes. He must have heard her going in 'cause a door opened up-stairs. The piano stopped. He shouted something or other at her that I didn't get. Then a couple

more doors slammed." "That the story?"
"All but mama. There's an old die-hard. If there's anything rocks my boat, it's the old gals that won't give up the ship. The kind that in-sist on tying a little pink bow in their hair up to their sixty-fifth birthday. She takes showers in sherry, too. You notice?"

"Oh, all of that. Of them all, I think she'd be the one to crack. She talk to you?"

"No. She came in looking like Alice after being in Wonderland for fifty-odd years, and made a zig-zag for the buffet." She impressed you as the 'Look-

"You bet. Of course, she's developed on more generous lines." "You're very observant."
"How could I miss it? She stopped King in the hall and asked for Stephen. She almost dropped when he told her sonny boy was doing the town. Then she yelled for Karen. While King went looking for her, she went through a gamut of facial expressions worthy of any one of the old silent movie gals. When the butler reported that Karen had gone out too, she made a beeline for the upstairs. In about twenty minutes, she came down looking like the Mer-

ry Widow-and just as worn out. She called a cab and made her exit." "When did she get home?" "Just before Stevey-boy. She came in, or floated in, would be more like it. She had just got the shock of her life. No act this time. I actually had to help her upstairs, though I'll bet she won't remember

McCale nodded thoughtfully and they fell silent for a few minutes. The figment of his imagination was jumping about wildly. He was surer than ever that tragedy stalked the Bigelows. Finally with a gesture half disdain, half despair - he launched into a description of the vents witnessed by Ann and him-

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Vhen he had finished, he cocked eyebrow, looking interrogatively his friend and employee. ocky said at last slowly. g that sticks out farthest, chief,

Is what?" is what Mr. Curt Vallaincourt, degroom-to-be, seems to be as sy as a bee, painting himself right to a corner. At four-thirty that afternoon, Duke McCale stood before the fire-

place in the upstairs drawing room of the Beacon street house. He was facing Adelaide Bigelow, who was huddled in the corner of a Victorian There was something held sofa. back in her, a studied remoteness.

McCale had been talking quietly. n a voice which surprised himse at its own compassion,

"You'll have to pardon me if say you have been-shall I sayextremely British about this situa-tion. You have made a concession here, an appeasement there, until it is quite futile to take any action. You have called me in months too

late."
"Mr. McCale," there was a light touch of hauteur in her tone in spite of herself, "you are presum-ing too much. I called you in to

look after the house during the week

of the wedding." "I'm sorry, but that is not the truth. Never once have I believed you came to my office with that in mind. I knew you were in trouble even though you withheld your confidence. Even now you will not admit it, even to yourself. I have gone on that premise from the first that you wanted me to find out things without even the responsibil-ity on your part of telling me what."

She rose stiffly, without answer-ing, and crossed the room to the front window.

She saw the same view she must have seen thousands of times be fore. A curious agitation seized her by the shoulders, but she did

not speak.

McCale continued, talking very quietly, a motionless figure in a gray chalk-striped suit, following

her with his eyes.
"I wish to withdraw from the case, Miss Bigelow. There's noth-

ing I can do for you."
"Oh. no!" The words, half musfled in the heavy atmosphere, magnified themselves in the vastness of

the room. The fire crackled flercely for a long minute, while the essence of fear hung in the air like a strong

accent. "It is necessary for me, since you will not confide in me, to tell you exactly what it is that is bothering you—what it is that you fear. You see, I know. What is it?"

Miss Bigelow turned once more to the room and McCale saw into her mind quite easily.



He stood behind her looking over her shoulder while he talked.

chamber of solid, Victorian fast ness, cozy, warm, intimate. Her fingers caressed the sheen of old wood, the back of a chair.

looked at him.
"So many things are not as we want them to be, nor as we be lieved them to be," she said.

He nodded. "There was, for it stance." he answered, drawing a parallel, "the case of France, with its vigor, its impregnable defenses its immortal and imperturbable morale. But the enemy bored from within, sabotaging that morale, and

when the battle came, the heart wu;

as rotten as an overripe cheest

Her eyes clouded. "What do you A Strange Will

Complicates Things "I know that a certain young man of undeniable physical attraction is marrying thirty million dollar next week. I know that in your subconscious mind, you believe him subconscious witnessed by Ann and the Abbey.

locky listened avidly. McCale or kept any information from his months ago—that you are also bold months ago—that you are also bold months ago—that you read to the cred thy the fact that your control of his months ago—that when they were working treed by the fact that your control to the months ago—that were also belone of his months ago—that were the control to the control to the months ago—that were the control to t family seems jealons of his meriage to your niece. Not jealout mind, of his perhaps having benefits of a great fortune, but jet ous in a more personal way, as is secretly they were all in love with him and wanted him for them

"You are so-right," she faltered Her eyes lit up in admiration. 'How

in the world—"
"I am a trained observer. It my job to see what others mist Then, too, I have sources of information."

She crossed to the windows again searching the outside hastily. the world is she looking is there? he pondered. Is she anxion to have this over with before the others get back? The tamily we having another of the interminal wedding rehearsals. Or was it some other thing she sought in the dar ening afternoon? She had glance at the clock more than once, he no

He crushed his cigarette in an ashtray, going over to her again. He stood behind her, looking on her shoulder while he talked. Tatwas nothing to see. The sailor simpled against the gateway. ing to read a paper in the unsterning to read a paper in the unsterning to the control of the co red scarr whipping out from neck in a sudden gust of wind in off, near the bandstand, hobber by started to burn rubbish in an basket, as was their custom these cold evenings. The red it dickered attribute in the forof it flickered fitfully in the fos"I know," he went on, his vot

erthat I' low and impatient now.

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### Bits O' Tallk

Mrs. Ervin Snively entertained Mrs. Ervin Snively entertained about twenty-five ladies at a stork shower honoring Mrs. Robert La-Chappelle, Wcdnesday evening of last week. The evening was spent playing Bunco—with prizes going to Miss Ernestine Stephan and Mrs. Carl H. Nielsen Jr. A very delightful lunch was served by the hostess.

WATCH for the date of the ant evening. Danish Supper.

remained till Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fuller left for Clarksburg, W. Va., last Friday, for the balance of the winter. TABLE MODEL RADIOS-Large Assortment for Immediate Delivery. See our window display. B-C-D- Equipment Co. 1-23-3t

Corporal Jack Dibble has joined Mrs Dibble at the home of her parents, the Glen Days. He has just returned from a year's service with the Air Force in Tokyo.

Mrs. Etta Phelps is spending

some time in Saginaw.

Maurice Dore of the Dore Mfg.
Co., Inc., left Sunday for Nash-

ville, Tenn. ,and points South, on business.

FOREWARNED is forearmed! Dig out those Spring and Summer

Shoes, and have them repaired NOW. Bill's Shoe Repair. 4t Mrs. Ray Clement left Friday night for Texas, being called there because of the serious illness of

because of the serious illness of her mother.

SPECIAL—\$20.00 SKI PANTS at \$16.00, at ODSON'S.

Mrs. Oscar Hanson entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club last week at her home on Peninsular Street. Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Ray Clement, Mrs. Harold Cliff, Mrs. A. E. Mason and Mrs. Leonard Knibbs. Mrs. O. P. Schumann' and Mrs. Robert Hayes held high honors for the afternoon.

held high honors for the afternoon. The Willard Cornell family spent the week-end in Gagetown visiting the Jo Freemans

ing the Jo Freemans.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis returned Friday from their trip South. They ran into the McClanpahans in a restaurant in Brunswick, Florida. They expect to arrive in Grayling in a couple of Weeks for a few days.

weeks for a few days.

SPECIAL—\$10.50 Stadium Boots,
\$8.40, at OLSON'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes LaGrow are
spending the week in Detroit.

Mrs. Charles Melichar spent

Sunday in Cadillac, where she wis-ited her daughter, Mrs. Maxine Steff, who is a patient in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Norval Stephan left Saturday to spend six weeks at Pine Castle; Florida. They will visit the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Vallad, while there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knecht are among those enjoying the Florida sunshine. They left Saturday. The James Hodgsons of Birming-ham spent the week-end in Gray-

ling.
WATCH for the date of the Danish Supper.

Danish Supper.

Richard Penty was home from M. S. C. to spend the week-end.

He had as his guests Bob and Jim Laird, of Battle Creek, also students at the college.

Charles Moore spent Monday and Tuesday in Detroit, attending the mid-winter Kiwanis Convention.

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SPECIAL—\$15.00 SKI BOOTS at \$8.95—at OLSON'S.

Button Peterson has received his discharge from the Army, after a year's service, six months of which was spent on Okinawa. He will spend his time in Grayling until his entrance to Michigan State College next fall.

State College next fall. State Conlege next fail.

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### Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes, with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mines, win the Robert Strongs as co-hosts, en-tertained the Saturday Bridge Club and their husbands at a pot-a potluck dinner, Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacNeven held high score in the bridge game

that followed. Mrs. Ella Wilcox
wa sa guest of the club.
Last Wednesday, Mrs. Jack
Wade of Lake Margrethe entertained 12 ladies at a stork shower
for Mrs. Jack McClain. Nice gifts were presented, cards were enjoy-ed, and coffee and cake were served to round out a very pleas-

Danish Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roth, with Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Mrs. Louis Carriveau, spent Wednesday of last week in Bay City. Mrs. Roth ert Neafles and Gordon Ponds were guests.

Miss Jane Ann Martin spent several days in Detroit last week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Caberty, Jr., and Miss Ann Evans.
Mrs. Marjorie Doroh had as her guest for the week, her sister, Mrs Claude Parker, of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stingle of De-

troit were week-end guests of Mrs Raleigh Howell. EUREKA VACUUM CLEANERS Upright and Tank Models Now on

Display. Ask for home demonstra-tion. B-C-D Equipment Company Ask for home demonstra Phyllis Schmidt is the new em-

ployee at Dawson's.

George A. Benjamin, S 1-c, has returned to his base at Corpus Christi, Texas, after spending 18 days' leave with his parents, Mr.

days' leave with his parents, Mrand Mrs. Arvie Cox.

Karen Rasmussen celebrated her ninth birthday last Thursday with a supper party for eight little guests. A lamb cake centered the party table. Three —guests won prizes in contests—Joan Cinciala in a clothespin contest, Mary Lou Larke in a peanut hunt, and Michael John Sheehy for pinning the donkey's tail exactly in the right place, blindfolded. All had a happy time.

py time.

Mrs. Lou Jorgenson was hostess to her bridge club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Carl Richardson, who was a guest of the club, held high score, and Mrs. Kirt Kitchen received consolations.

NOTICE—P. T. A. meeting will be held at the South Side School,

Wednesday, January 29.
Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Barber of the Soo stopped and visited the former's sister, Mrs. R. J. Sheehy and family last Wednesday. Mr. Barber, who is an auto mechanic, had the sight of one eye impaired in an accident while at work, necessitating a trip to an eye specialist in Detroit.

St. Mary's Altar Society met at

the parish hall last Thursday with Mrs. Leo Koerper and Mrs. Oscar Charron as hostesses. The various church societies of St. Mary's are making plans for a summer festi-

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#### Willie Goes to School at 23

Everybody's joshing Willie Wells about going back to school. They romember when Willie would hide out in the woodshed scared to bring his report card home to Pa.

But under the G.I. Bill of Rights, Willie (who has a wife and baby) is getting a free oducation at the Agricultural College. And Uncle Sam is giving him a fine report: "Deportment, excellent; Progress, above average."

That goes for all those under-graduate voterans. Like Willie, they appréciate an education more than

ever now. They're industrious and well-behaved-their favorite bevcrage is milk, or a temperate glass of beer. For them the "three R's" seem to mean: Responsibility, Recourcefulness, Restraint.

From where I sit, cynical folks who thought voterang wouldn't want to return to school-wouldn't attek to stendy habits of work and moderation-have their answer in "undergraduates" like Willie.

Goe Marse

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Joan Randolph has had a perfect attendance at the Michelson Memorial Church Sunday School for

18 consecutive weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Burm and family spent a few days in Detroit

A few friends dropped in at the A rew triends dropped in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Horton, January 13, to help Mr. Horton and Mr. Al Kaiser celebrate their birthdays and wish them many more happy birthdays. NOTICE:

On and after this date, I will not be responsible for any debts, etc., contracted by any one other than myself.

Signed, Kondoll E. Wolch.

MICHELSON MEMORIAL

At a joint meeting of the Sunday School teachers and Activity Com-mittee of the Michelson Memorial Church, Monday night, it was agreed that a family night potluck dinner would be scheduled for the



MAC'S DRUG STORE

evening of March 21. At this time CARD OF THANKS there will also be a display of the

We desire to express to our kind their children do in Sunday School.

Future plans include a Children's ly to the Sisters of Mercy Hamiltonian Day program, and picnic

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### Rite O' Talk

K. H. Phelps returned to Grayling early Tuesday morning from a business trip to Lima, Ohio. SPECIAL-\$20.00 SKI PANTS

at \$16.00, at OLSON'S.

The Avalanche Office will be closed this Friday and Saturday Jan. 24 and 25. Single copies will be on sale at Mac's Drug Store and Dawson's, starting with this issue. WATCH for the date of the

Danish Supper.
SHIRLEE SHOPPE January Clearance Drastic Reductions Special: DRESSES, 2 for \$7.00.

Anker Hanson, son of Mrs. Marie Hanson, is returning to Alaska, January 27, after spending a month at his home. He was released from the Army in May, and accepted a position with the Post Signal Office as construction foreman in Fort Richardson. He left Tuesday to visit friends in Bay City, and his brothers, Waldemar and Holger, of Saginaw, before re-

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Rev. R. C. Puffer was called to Big Ranids Monday, where his

Big Rapids, Monday, where his mother is hospitalized as the result

SHIRLEE SHOPPE January Clearance— Drastic Reductions Special: DRESSES, 2 for \$7.00. The Misses Jane Kernan, Doris Adgy and Marion Link were guests of Miss Barbara Borcher for the week-end. The girls are all stu-

week-end. The girls are all students at Central Michigan College,
Mt. Pleasant.
We hear that Roger Glegling is
giving Ed Holm and Roy Milnes Jr. trunkline hiking lessons after midnight. The boys are not very en thusiastic after the first lesson, but Roger assures them the first ten miles are the hardest, and that next time he is sure they will arrive home under their own power

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Miss M. Bauman, 2651. Esbern Hanson, John Bruun and Esbern Hanson, John Bruun and Wilhelm Raae drove to Saginaw last Thursday to attend meetings of Salling Hanson Company Trustees, Johannesburg Mfg. Co. Trustees, and North Michigan Land and Oil Co. Mrs. Hanson accompand them returning home Saturning home Saturni panied them, returning home Sat-

#### Basketball

(Continued from Front Page) ens led the local Reserves with 6 points, while R. Rasmussen and Burns each added 2 points. Earl Rusmussen, John Krage, Richard-son and Jerry Smock each counted once from the foul line to end the locals' scoring. Plocia led the Har-bor Reserves with 6 points.

The second week's contests in the Grayling intramural league found Wisconsin defeating Minnesota by a 11 to 7 score; Northwestern won over Ohio by a 12 to 5 count, and Illinois dropped Michigan by scoring 11 points to Michigan's 2. Next Monday night at 7 o'clock, Ohio will meet Wisconsin Illinois meets Northwestern, and Michigan meets Minnesota. The public is invited to witness the games, free of any charge. Illinois and Northwestern lead the league with two wins each against no defeats, while Michigan and Wisconsin each have a win and a defeat to their credit. Ohio and Minnesota have lost both starts

AUXILIARY NEWS

The following committee chair-nen met at the Legion Hall, January 20, for a business discussion Mrs. Harold Rasmussen-Flowers Mrs. Otto Ealling—Membership; Mrs. Betty Failing—Constitution— Bylaws; Mrs Leo Jorgenson—Re-habilitation; Mrs. Clarence Roberts —Americanism and Legislative; Mrs. Agnes Halford—District Chm. 

Gothro-Poppy; Mrs. Rebert Noa-fie and Mrs. John Selesky-Publicity; Mrs. Geo. Quinn-Child

Welfare.
January 28 is the date of next social meeting, to be held at the Legion Hall. Mrs. Harold Ras-mussen, Mrs. Leo Jorgenson and Mrs. George Quinn are on the entertainment committee.

Post Commander John Selesky

and wife, president of the Auxiliary, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson, Mr. and Mrs. George Quinn and Mrs. Lillian Ryan attended the 10th District meeting in Clare, Sunday, January 19.

#### Bank Change

(Continued from Page One) was a member of the board of education from 1007 to 1927, the last three years as president. Mr. Truettner represented Bessemer as state senator for three terms, 1923-5-7, during which times made important contributions as a member of the finance and appro-priation committee, the banks and corporations committee, and the conservation committee. He has always been a Republican and is a member of all branches of the Masonic organization, having held high offices in the Blue Lodge, Chapter and Commandery

It has been repeatedly said of Mr. Truettner, at the many functions at which he has been the honor guest, that no banker has such a wide acquaintance throughout the state

Mrs. Truettner—they were mar-ried in Iron Mountain September 17, 1902—is a member of another northern Michigan family which is as important in Detroit through its sons as are the Truettners. was Laura M. Cudlip. Their son, Walter J., is sales manager of the internationally famous Dow Chemical Company of Midland, and their daughter is Mrs. Clayton Purdy, wife of a distinguished attor-ney. There are six grandchildren.

Mr. Truettner was feted many times in Detroit by a host of friends in every walk of life before he left for Grayling—and no bank-er, ever received more congratu-latory mail from as many cities in the state as he did when it became

the state as he did when it became unofficially known that he would head the Grayling institution.

"I am no stranger to Grayling and have always had a tremendous-admiration for the city and the beautiful territory in which it is so strategically located. I would never have considered coming here without the definite assurance that without the definite assurance that the officers and personnel and di rectors would remain with the exception of the Chairman of the Board, and the President. The latter, however, will remain on the Board as Director. They have built one of the finest banks in the State in one of the State's finest counties. We knew that Mr. Han-son, Chairman of the Board, and Mr. Bruun, the President, wanted to retire to devote all their time to other important interests and there is nothing I can say in tribute to them that would equal the trib-utes Grayling has already paid them. They have given them their complete confidence and they have proved completely worthy of it. "I believe Grayling has yet to

see its greatest prosperity. No city in this State of great cities is as well known and beloved for its winter and summer advantages as Grayling. None other offers more perfect facilities the whole year around," Mr. Truettner said. "I have loved my time in Detroit and the work I was able to do there to bring about a closer co operation there between all of the banks and the interests of the State. But I am glad to be back in a small town, in a good town where my Bessemer experience and my Detroit experience and my Lansing experience can be com-bined. I hope I will have the sup port of all of the people in Craw-ford County—but I know I shall have to earn that."

#### Three Pay Fines In Justice Court

in Graving in 1947 was held Monday, with three men paying fine totaling \$75 and total costs of

\$19.95.

Henry C. Baker paid a \$25 fine and costs of \$6,75 after pleading guilty to a reckless driving charge, while Clarence Osborne and George Lowell, both of Mancelona, were fined \$25 and costs of \$6.60 coch after pleading guilty to concach after pleading guilty to car-rying a rifle and shells in an area frequented by deer during a closed

### Frederic News

Mrs. Walter Hartman and little grandson went to Detroit Saturday to attend the 8th grade graduation of another grandson.

Lyle Dunckley is all set for more snow. He went to Owesse last

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newberry, Lorna and Danny visited in Bentley last week

Mrs. Walter Krase is able to be out again after two weeks' illness.

Kenneth Newberry left Monday for a visit in Flint.

Jay Wilcox is confined to his home with flu. Dohn Weaver is at

the garage while Mr. Wilcox is laid up. Mrs. Lulu Flagg, Mrs. C. S. Bar-

Mrs. Little Hagg, Mrs. C. S. Barber and Mrs. Harry Horton were visitors in Gaylord, Monday.

Word was received by Mrs. H. Horton that Roland Rabiroff, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Rabiroff, of Long Island, N. Y., was stricken with polio. Mrs. Y, was stricken with polio. Mrs Rabiroff is the former Beatrice Dishaw. She resided here 35 years ago.

#### Winter Carnival

(Continued from first mage) day Sunday forced the Parks Di-vision to close down the big toboggan slides, as the ice was

which he will use with the aid of his tractor.

Dad Ridgway is on the sick list.

The afternoon, but the ak rink also softened up late in the afternoon, but the aki slopes and saddle ski runs remained in excellent shape and afforded pleasure to hundreds of winter sports fans.

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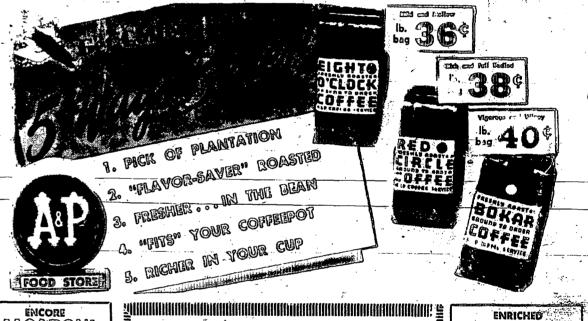
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